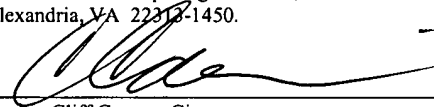


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **Maurizio Zanetti**
Serial No.: **09/788,110** Group No.: **1642**
Filed: **02/15/2001** Examiner: **Ungar, S.**
Entitled: **A Universal Vaccine and Method for Treating Cancer Employing
Telomerase Reverse Transcriptase**

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
MAILED JUNE 22, 2005**

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Dear Madam:

The following communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed June 22, 2005. A petition for a two-month extension of time is provided thereby extending the period for reply until November 22, 2005. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of the following:

- amendments to the specification beginning on page 2;
- amendments to the claims reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 9; and
- remarks and arguments beginning on page 12.